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Applicant(s): Richard Hull ) Re: Information Disclosure  
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DEVICE" ) Our Ref: B-5188 621137-4  
Date: January 23, 2004

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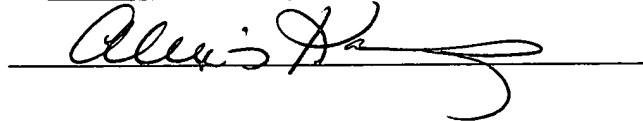
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**U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

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	6,125,396	9/2000	Lowe	709	234	

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	2 366 401 A	3/2002	GB			
	01/35575 A2	5/2001	WO			
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### Documents considered to be relevant:

Category	Relevant to claims	Identity of document and passage or figure of particular relevance	
X	1,2, 6-11 at least	WO 02/089392 A	(ADC DSL SYSTEMS) see abstract, page 4, lines 22-31 and page 7, lines 3-17.
X	1,2, 6-11 at least	US 6125396 A	(LOWE) see Figure 3, column 1, line 66 to column 2, line 40 and column 5, line 1 to column 6, line 67.
X	1, 2, 6-11 at least	EP 0798934 A1	(BRODERBUND) see Figure 2, abstract and page 3, line 45 to page 5, line 41.
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